# GLACIAL SCOURING

#### Professor Bryan Returns To Hilo With Story of Discovery At Summit

Details of the discovery of traces of ancient glacial action on Mauna Ke: by Prof. William A. Bryan of the Col lege of Hawaii have been received here by mail from Hilo, supplementing radio reports | Wo

Professor Rryan was accompanied by Lieut, George R. Meyer, U. S. A., For Kamehameha, who returned to Hone lulu in the Mauna Kea Saturday more ing. The professor and Mrs. Bryan wi remain on Hawaii for about two weeks making collections of marine shells.

Having started from Kukaiau plat tation, on the Hamakua coast, July with a Hawaiian guide and four horse the Bryan party reached Wainu lake near the 13,825-foot aummit of Maun-Kea, at six o'clock that evening, an-made camp there. They went all the cult on Manna Lon and altogether im possible by the new Mauna Lon tra-by way of the Pau Uloula resthouse. rs Almost Exhausted

At this tremendous height on Maun Kea it was very cold, and there wa difficulty in breathing in the rarified at mosphere, so that the least exertion lef the climbers almost exhausted. But by Saturday morning they had become accustomed to the air and started on their explorations.

When Professor Bryan reached Hillast Monday he was sunburned an frostbitten, for where they camped an wandered for two days there are a this time, in July, great banks of snow five feet thick, as well as ice ridges and ice caves. Speaking of his trip Prof. Bryan said, in an interview to the Hil

"Although the northeast side of Mn una Kea is the hardest side on which tmake the ascent, we chose that side for the reason that no competent observer as far as I can find out, has ever gone up that way to make a reliable report and it is only owing to this fact that can attribute to other geologist the fail ure to record that practically the en tire summit of the mountain, and especially on the northeast and northers sides, shows abundant and unmistakable evidence of erosion by extensive gla

"I should estimate that altogethe there are at least fifty square miles o land scoured by glaciers there, leavineverywhere the characteristic marking left by mountain glaciers. I secured a abundance of geological specimens proving the glacial action there.

So far as is known this is the firs report of glaciation on the Island Hawaii, or the territory, and probably in the Pacific. It appears that once there was a glacial ice-cap from which the glacier flowed, even as far down, or north, as the line of vegetation. Bedrock Scoured in Lines

There are a number of places where he bedrock is scoured in paral for more than 100 feet. In some places the hard basaltic rocks, with which the mounted on the scoured bed of the an cient ice-stream when the glacier dis appeared, showing the instruments used by the glacier in gouging out these cha ructeristic grooves and scratches left by all moving glaciers, "When did this happen? Well, the

geological and topographic evidence in dicates that the period of glaciation an todates the eruntion of the majority of the larger einder cones that form the summit of Mauna Kea, for in place: these einder copes cover the bed of the ancient glacier.

"This geological proof is an evidence of the great antiquity of this mountain and also presupposes a difference in the climate then and now, although now, i July, the ice and snow up there is thick and in January, 1909, the snow came down to the 6,000 feet elevation." One of World's Sights

Professor Bryan and his companior not only brought down many geological specimens of great value, but obtained a splendid collection of photographs Professor Bryan describes the sight from the top of Mauna Ken as one of the most wonderful in the world.

Standing on the summit of this high est mountain in the Pacific Ocean the whole world seems to lie at one's feet The ocean appears to be a solid plain of dark turquois, while distant Haleakula on Maui stands out with a dis tinetness which is striking. Directly be-low extends the miles on miles of the bright green sugar cane, and all round are other mountains, those only 5,000 feet or a little more in height, looking almost like ant hills:

But to the south looms majestic Muuna Loa, the sister mountain to Maune Kea, and only a few feet lower, where is still an active crater, Mokoweowco that occasionally bursts forth. Then pas' the buttresses of Mauna Lon is seen the low-lying Kilauea, the ever-active Volcano, and above the fiery pit of Hale maumau the fumes and smoke can be distinctly seen.

While crossing a snow and ice field near the crest of Mauna Kea the horse on which Lieutenant Meyer was riding fell and began sliding down hill. It was a narrow escape for him, but his only hurt was when the horse threw back its head and struck the officer in the face, bruising him somewhat.

Professor Bryan says he is convinced that this northern part of the Island of Hawaii, especially in Kohala, is av ancient a part of the group as Kauai. He is delighted with his trip and his City Attorney Brown stated that the discoveries. The party went up the defendant had not committed an as northeast flank of the mountain and dessuit. scended by the northern side over what is known as the Nan trail.

The final accounts of the administra-

## MAUNA KEA SHOWS CUBANS NEGLECTING Tokio Calls SIGNS OF ANCIENT MEMORIAL OF MAINE Dr. Scudd

#### Havana Papers Urging Speedy Action On Construction of Long Planned Monument

(By The Associated Press.) HAVANA, July 17 .- Attention i egain being called to the long-continsed neglect of the Cuban government s proceed with the erection of the Memorial of the Maine,

Many months ago the two ten-inch gues, the turret plates, the anchor bain and a quantity of shells from the battleship were removed from the rubish dock where they had lain for four ears and were piled in a heap in a ough vacant space on the outskirts of the city proper. It was announced that he Memorial, of which these velice vere to form a part, was to be erested on that site. Later the Secretary of Public Works decided that the site was ensuitable but no other one appears to have been selected or to be contemplat

Havana papers suggest ediforially to the raising of the Memorial, the best isposition that can be made of the relies is to carry them out to sea and reverently bury them in the waters of the Gulf at the spot where the Main

### BRITISH MUST PAY OWN PASSAGE HOME

#### Britain Not Offering Assistance To Would-Be Soldiers

Though Great Britain now is under compulsory military service law, she s not at present seeking to enforce he enlistment of her qualified subjects who are not in England. Consequent y she is not yet offering assistance to my who desire to return home and oin the colors. Such is the gist of an ifficial statement issued Saturday by E. L. S. Gordon, British consul at Hosolulu. (Fordon writes:

"As there is some uncertainty as to he effect on British subjects abroad f the military service act of 1916 oringing into force compulsory service nother United Kangdom, will you kind give publicity to the fellowing:

By the terms of the military ser es act now in force in Great Britate, all British subjects between the ages if eighteen and forty-one years, who were ordinarily resident in Great Briloes not, however, at present intendespect of those British subjects now cannot be granted financial or other aries. issistance by British officials for the surpose of enabling him to return."

#### BREVITIES

(From Saturday Advertiser.) The German reception for Pastor G. Schafhirt and Pastor Hoermann has been postponed to July 25 at half-past ight o'clock

Charles M. Hite was appointed mas er to examine the final accounts of the dministrator of the estate of Burnard iebman. The appointment was made y Judge Whitney yesterday.

George A. Davis, as administrator of he estate of the late Augustus E Murphy, yesterday reported in the circuit court. The administrator charges nimself with \$216,65 and asks to be allowed five dollars.

Charged with heedless driving, Fran is Abel was arraigned in the police ourt yesterday morning. He was ar rested on a warrant sworn to by Wil liam J. Alexander who was run over July 7 by a machine driven by young

Abel and injured. Business in the federal district court has come almost to a halt now on account of the extensive repairs being made to the building. It will be several weeks before the repairs are completed, but the bulk of the interior work should be finished within a few

(From Sunday Advertiser)

Charged with first degree robbery, Pedro Puentes entered a plea of not guilty yesterday in the circuit court, as did Takahama Matsujima, charged with assault,

A plea of not guilty was made by Mateo Lawns yesterday in the circuit court to a charge of embezzlement. He was indicted by the grand jury. His bail was fixed at \$250.

John August entered a plea of not guilty yesterday when he was brought before Judge Ashford of the circuit court. He is under indictment for as sault on a 14-year-old girl.

The case of the Territory against 8 Kanemura, charged with assault with a deadly weapon, was nolle prossed in the circuit court yesterday morning.

Yee Wai Park, accused of stealing two typewriters from the commercial department of McKinley High School, secured a week a continuance for mak-

By a ununimous vote, members of the Tokio Union Church decided recently to call as permanent pastor of the thurch, one of the foremost American dergymen, Dr. Doremus Scudder of this sity according to advices from Japan. The meeting at which this decision was eached was held in the Ginza Metholist Church of Tokio, and attended by a large number of the Christian workmittee on church organization and pastor that Doctor Scudder be called was presented by Dr. William Imbrie, chairman of the committee, and unanimous

ly approved.

A report from the same committee, severing the work done in getting suboanis, was read by J. Morle Davis, seeetary of the committee. This showed that while the amount raised is still about 500 yen short of the sam required, it is certain that the balance will shortly be forthcoming from spurces not yet heard from. Doctor Scudder Notified

Doctor Scudder, to whom a cable-gram telling of the decision of the thurch was sent immediately after the meeting, has been a leading member of Honolulu for fourteen years, first as superintendent of the Hawaiian Mission Board, and since 1907 as paster of Sentral Union Church, which has grown from a membership of 700 to 1,700 dar-

ing his pastorate.

Doctor Seudder's career was practically begun as a Christian worker in Japan, Soon after fluishing his educa-Checlogical Seminary and Northwestern University, where he received an M. D. Doctor Scudder went out to Japan. de was ordained a minister of the Congregationalist Church at Kobe in 1885. and was stationed at Niigata from 4885 He is a great admirer of Japan and the Japanese, and while in Honolulu has been keenly interested in nission work among the Japanese here.

In Tokio it is believed to be pracall to the Tokio pastorate. It is felt there that the congregation will be cortunate in securing a man of Doctor endder's calibre, who, in addition to his other merits, is thoroughly acquainted with conditions in Japan.

For some years he has been in charge of a magazine, "The Friend," which Japan and the United States. Mrs. Scudder Talented

Mrs. Scudder, who of course will accompany her husband to Japan if he accepts the call, is a woman of unusual

Mr. Davis, in presenting the financial report of the committee in charge, lwelt on the large share of the financial ourden that is being assumed by laynen, principally business men of Toki bout two-fifths of the amount pledged has come from laymen, forty of whom nave contributed. Missionaries are responsible for the rest of the fund subcribed. The total pledged now is 3,513 yen, out of a necessary 4,000 yen, or \$2000. The balance, the committee vere ordinarily resident in Great Brian on the 15 August, 1915, are liable The coatributions have ranged from 200 o military service. The war office yen or \$100 a year down. There has been one 200 yen contribution, four of to enferce the provisions of the act in 100 yen, seventeen of 50 yen, one of 40, respect of those British subjects now dwe of 39, thirty of 25, fifteen of 20. abroad so far as they may be liable to afteen of 15 and forty pledges below 15 service. Any British subject returning to Great Britain must therefore do Of the total, 1,580 yen has been given o at his own risk and expense, and by laymen; the balance by mission-

> Besides the 4,000 yen to be raised in Tokio, 2,000 yen or \$1000, will be given by the interdenominational committee in pastoral supply in foreign countries, ... This committee has its headquarters in New York and Dr. Robert E. Speer,

is the chairman. The 6000 yen or \$3000 raised from these sources will be disbursed as fol-lows: for pastor's salary, 3,600 yen or \$1800; church rent, 720 yen; manse ent, 900 yen; organ rent, 60 yen; organist, 50 yen; incidentals, 200 yen; and allowances for Doctor Sendder's ransportation from Honolulu will bring he total up to 6,000 yen.

Is Expected In October Doctor Scudder is expected to reach npan, should be accept, in October or November, and at that time the Union Church, on the new basis, will be start The Church will have regular Sun day morning and evening services, weekly prayer meeting, and all the fearganization than beretofore. Dr. Seudfer has been called for a period of three years. The recommendation of the committee, which was presented by Doctor Imbrie and approved by the

trustees was as follows: "Resolved, that the committee ap ointed to report on the question of se curing a permanent pastor for the Tokio Union Church be authorized to extend a call to Dr. Doremus Scudder of Hopolulu to assume the pastorate for three years, provided that the Interdenominational Committee of New York pledges a grant of 2,000 yen annually years and agrees to meet one half of the traveling expenses. The grant from the New York Com mittee is assured.

#### JAPANESE IS ACCUSED OF ILLICIT DISTILLING

Under arrest for illicit distiling of brought here from Kausi by the pext steamer. He was arrested by Sheriff Rice on the authority of Marshal Smid-An officer from the marshal's of ice was going to Kanai to make this crest, but on account of the prema are announcement of the issuance of the warrant, Marshal Smiddy decided to wireless Sheriff Rice to make the arrest himself.

#### CAUSES AND CURE FOR

DIARRHOEA Overenting, a change in the tempera ture, unripe fruit, and impure water are some of the causes of diarrhoea tor of the estate of Mary J. Alexander ing his plea to the charge. This was were referred yesterday by Judge him yesterday when he appeared before Judge Ashford of the circuit court.

The final accounts of the administration in the court and the court an

### Okio Calls HOMESTEADERS ON Dr. Scudder HAWAII ORGANIZE

#### Form Protective Association To Encourage All Small Farmers of Island Territory

The Homestenders' Protective Association is the name of a new concern, the organization of which was perfected on the island of Hawaii July 9. It is intended, the promoters claim, to encourage commercial undertakings among the small farmers of the islands, to promote beneficial relations between them and the plantations and to mentations and the members in finding market for their ogricultural products.

The Association is organized with an initial capitalization of \$100.000, divided into a thousand shares having a par value of \$100 cach. A hundred and seven shares have been subscribed by

seven shares have been subscribed by sixty-three mambers to date. Those favoring the concern assert its scape will be extended to all the islands of the group, all homestenders being en-

have are the following: To promote methods to assist homestenders and agriculturalists whereby financial adsancements may be made to them. cither by the association or other agencies; to act as agents, represents tives, factors and attorneys, in matters requiring contracts and understandings between homestenders and agriculturalists and plantations, milling companies and agents; to enlighten them concern-ing economic conditions governing the augur and other industries: to establish n Hawaii and other places marketing agencies, and to creek warehouses at Hilo and elsewhere for storage of pro-

ducts. M. A. Silva was chosen president of the Association; Benjamin, da Rosa, vice-president; Ernest Vicina, secre-tary; M. de f. Spinola, treasurer.

#### Magazine Island To Be Depot For Storage of Ammunition

The work of building temporary renir shops, for assisting the general verhauling of submarines, is being ushed to completion at the naval base, n Magazine Island, Pearl Harbor, The structures will not be permanent. It is understood that in the proposed extension plans of the naval station cles have advanced in price. There is melon season seems to have been reachwhich have not been made public, it is good market now for cabbage, Irish has been planned to abandon Maga potatoes and yellow corp. A few farm cine Island as a permanent submaria: ers who are sending potatoes and corp stock, dressed meat or hide markets base, in which event the island will be to the market are getting the best and feed quotations are the same as utilized as a storehouse for ammunition, prices in years. The sooner they can last week. With the arrival of the crusier St buildings, which will be used for workhops and efficers' and men's quarters, will be erected on the new site. No de finite time has been set for the com pletion of the new plans, but accordng to Admiral Clifford J. Boush it wil be about two years before the work i ompleted.

General work of repairing the submarines of the flotilla will be complete ext week, when the divers will take up their regular routine drills.

### EDNA MAYO WANTS ISLE FOR 'THE RETURN OF EVE

#### Secretary Taylor of Promotion Committee Offers Her Niihau

"Wanted-An island. Must be in good condition and uninhabited. Write wire or phone Edna Mayo."

This want ad appeared in an qustern publication recently. It was inserted, resultably, by Edna Mayo, the well quown motion picture netress. She further stated that the island was desired as the scenic background for he. proposed feature film "The Return of

In answer A. P. Taylor, segretary of the promotion committee, has written a long, chatty letter to the movie staroffering her the island she is looking for. The island Taylor has spleeted in Niihau. And if Niihau were blessed with human understanding and modesty it certainly would blush at the nice things the promotion man tells, Miss Mayo about it.

In the advertisement the actress says she seeks a nice, gentle island, minus cannibals and summer boarders in particular. Niihau possesses all these at liquor, a Japanese named Otani will be tributes and then some. Taylor promises that neither she nor the camera man will be disturbed; moreover, that while the celebrated picture is in the making she and her companions will be fed upon such luscious tropical delicacies as alligator pears, papaias, bananas, pincapples, mangoes, et cetera, et ceters.

#### SUGAR ON KAUAI The following sugar, by bags

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#### Honolula Wholesale Produce Market MEAT PRODUCTIO Quotations ISSUED BY THE TERRITORIAL

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MARKETING DIVISION

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BUTTER AND EGGS POULTRY Broilers, lb (2 to 3 lbs.) 35 to .40 Island butter, Ib cartons ... ,30 to .40 Young roosters, lb .33 to .35 Eggs, select doz. Hens, Ib. .. .25 to 27 Eggs, No. 1, dot. .27 to .29 Ducks, Pekin, lb. 27 to 29 Ducks, Hawn., doz. 6.50 to 7.00 VEGETABLES AND PRODUCE Beans, string, green, lb. . . .02 to .03 Beans, string, wax, lb. . . . .03 to .04 Cennuts, small, 1b Peanuts, large, lb. . 05 to .06 Green peppers, Bell, II. Green peppers, Chili, lb. 04 to .0 Potatoca, Isl., Irish (none in mkt.) Beans dry-04 to .05 Beans, Mani Red, cwt. 5.25 to 5.50 Benns, enlied, cwt. ..... 4.50 Benns, small white, cwt. 6.00 to 6.50 Potatoce, Isl. Irish. new lb ... .021 Potatocs, sweet, cwt .. 1.00 to 1.50 Oniona, Bermuda .04 to .05 Taro, cwt. .... Corn, Haw., sm. yel. 39.00 to 41.00 Corn, Haw., ig. yel. 35.00 to 39.00 Green; peas, lb. .08 to .10 Strawberries, 1b. 30 to 40 Rice, Japanese seed, cwt. . . . 3.70 Rice, Hawn., cwt. . . . . 4.00 

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(Beef, cattle and sheep are not bought at live weight. They are taken by the meat companies dressed and paid for by weight dressed). DRESSED MEATS HIDES (Wet-salted)

Steer, No. 2, 1b. ...... PEED The following are quotations on feed, f.o.b. Honolulu:

Corn, sm, yel., ton. 44.00 Onts, ton. ...

Corn, large yel., ton. 43.00 to 44.00 Whent, ton. ...

Corn, cracked, ton. 44.00 to 45.00 Middings, ton. ...

Bras, toh ... ... 37.00 Hay, wheat, ton. ... 41.00 Onts, ton .... 43.00 Huy, wheat, ton 28.50 to 33.00 Huy, Alfalfa, ton 28.50 to 30.00 Alfalfa meal, ton 27.50 to 28.00 Scratch food, ton ..... 47.90 The Territorial Marketing Division is under supervision of the U. S. Experi-

nent Station, and is at the service of all citizens of the Territory. Any produce which farmers may send to the Marketing Division is sold at the best obtainable which farmers may send to the Marketing Division as sold at the best obtainable price. A marketing charge of five per cent is made. It is highly desirable that armers notify the Marketing Division what and how much produce they have for sale and about when it will be ready to ship. The shipping mark of the Division is S. S. E. S. Letter address: Honolulu, P. O. box 1237. Salesroom, Walkiki corner Maunakea and Queen shreets. Telephone 1840. Wheeless address: dress, TERMARK.

#### WEEKLY MARKET LETTER

the price has advanced. poultry but prices are steady at last plentiful with prices low. The weeks quotations.

ers who are sending potatoes and corn stock, dressed meat or hide markets

heap and large shipments will probab- signment. v arrive by the Mnuna Lon today. hirese bananas are a drug on the mar. Honolulu, T. H., July 14, 1916.

should ship at once.

Island eggs are scarcer this week and ket due to lack of shipping facilities he price has advanced.

And are being sold for as low as 15.

The market is well supplied with cents a bunch. Figs and grapes are weeks quotations.

Vegetables are not as plentiful as shipments having arrived during the they were last week and several arti-

get all of their crop to the market the The retail vegetable and butcher de Louis further work on the new navni better it will be for the price is sure partments are showing very satisfactors will be begun. Docks for the quartering of submarines and torpedo boats will be laid out, and a set of particularly good for sweet potatoes pected that the sules will be more than and producers having them on hand sloubled. It is found that these two departments are beloing considerable

### IN MELON GROWING

#### E. M. Ehrhorn Turns Loose Supply To Big Island Residents

ine abundance. He placed in the gar- sight to fill orders. iens of Hilo last week a colony of Districte.

tribution of the parasites among the or more. different sections of the island group has started.

#### Westgate Writes Reports

ecretary of agriculture, but the last one will go out on the Mason Paceday. the routine of doing something to clp the farmers.

#### THEFT OF AUTOMOBILES PENALIZED IN MILITARY

The Hawalian department makes dear its determination to stamp out the practise of joyriding in borrowed cers, which has already landed three private soldiers in the guardhouse and will menn a dishonorable discharge for them at the end of their term.

The trio are Privates H. C. Burnett 123 E. Caperton and C. A. Fresnel, all of Company C. Second Infantry. They 04 were tried by a court-martial for tak 500 ing a car belonging to the Territory 900) and using it for a joy ride around the

## Alligator pears are plentiful and to sell the produce received on con

## BEAN CROP SHORT

Beans have gone sky high, especially the small white or navy bean which has become almost a luxury during the last few months.

Michigan grows more beans that any other State but the Michigan croy E. M. Ehrhorn has given to residents has been sold short, down to the last of the Big Island the hope that they ton. Ten cents a pound is the price may be able again to grow watermelous. now being offered in the wholesale marmuskmelons and cantalogoes in prist kets at Chicago, with nary a bean in

The explanation given is "war or 25 parasites which prey upon the melders." bean exports having been un on fly, the insect which has nearly usually heavy. California is quite a briven melon culture from the islands. bean State but does not compare with These are the descendants of four Michigan. Normal prices at this sea melon fly parasites brought from India son are usually around three cents a year or more ago by David Fullaway. From present indications beans would These and their progeny were transbe a good crop for Hawaiian farmers forced to Kona, Hawaii, by Superinto plant to make a quick turn. They tendent, Ehrhern, of the government have to be graded and hand-picked like sursery, and there encouraged to pro- coffee but if prices remain at their pres ent level there is a good margin in the The colony has thrived and now dis- business, even with seed at ten cent;

#### Fire-Fighting Tool

A new fire fighting took has been in vented by a forest ranger in Califor-Director J. M. Westgate of the ex nia which consists of an interchange periment station has been writing an-sual reports to the Governor and the best tool of the sort yet devised.

#### MARKETING DIVISION SALES HAVE DOUBLED EXCEEDING \$127,000

The sales and total business door by the Territorial marketing divi sion during the twelve months end ng June 30 have run over \$127,000 Superintendent A. T. Longley stated yesterday. Produce consigned by nall farmers sold for over \$76,000 The remaining \$50,000 represents pincapple crates and other packing materials, goods sold through the reil department, and seeds, feed and grandtural supplies purchased by the division for the farmers.

The business of the year has slightly more than doubled over the preceding twelve months.

## **IS FALLING DOWN**

United States Imports Almost As Much As It Exports In Normal Times

#### Meat Supply Bears Important Relation To Cost of Living

That meat production has not kept pace with the increase lin population and that its failure to do so, combined with increased cost of production and diminished purchasing power of the money unit, has contributed to higher prices not only in the United States but all over the world is stated in Part I of the exhaustive report on the meat situation in the preparation of which specialists of the U. S. department of agriculture have been engaged for some

This country, it is said, is participating in a world wide movement and it undergo any radical change in the immediate future. On the other hand, it is believed that there will be a gradual growth and expansion in the world's production of beef, mutton, and pork which may or may not equal the rate of increase of the meat-eating popula-

In America this gradual expansion appears to have begun already. Be-tween 1997 and 1913 there was a mark-ed decline in the number of cattle in the country but in the last two years this has not only stopped but has given way to a perceptible increase. The estimated number on farms and ranges on January 1, 1916, 61,441,000, is, however, still much below the corresponding figure for 1907, 72,534,000.

Hogs Are Increasing With the exception of temporary checks due to lesses from hog cholers, there has been in recent years a persistent increase in the production of swine. On January 1, 1916, the number in the country was estimated at 68,000, 000 as compared with 58,200,000 in April, 1910. On the other hand, the number of sheep declined during this period f.om 52,500,000 in 1910 to 40,-200,000 in 1916. As the decrease, however, is not sufficient to offset the increase in cattle and skine, it may be said that the total production of meat in the United States is increasing but that this increase is not yet proportion

te to the growth in population. The available supply of meat would be much greater if it were not for the enormous losses caused by disease and exposure. Since 1900 it is estimated that from 1,100,000 to 1,475,000 entitle have died each year from disease and from 600,000 to 1,500,000 from exposure. With sheep, the losses from disease have been about the same, but from ex-

posure much larger.

With swine the relative prevalence of hog cholera is perhaps the determining factor in the annual loss. In 1894 this was as low as 2,200,000, but in amounted to 7,000,000. 7,000,000 hogs had been saved, it is said, they would have produced enough ment to furnish every family in the United states with 40 pounds of pork.

We Ent Most Meat Despite these facts the United States emains the greatest meat eating as ell as the greatest meat producing naion in the world. Approximately twice as much mest is consumed in this ountry as in Germany before the war and the total normal consumption in Bussia, Great Britain and France is less han in Germany. The per capita con-umption is also far greater in this ountry than anywhere else with the exception of Australia and New Zenland. exports now consist largely of pork ived to a great extent from corn. In he fiscal years 1914 and 1915 we im-orted more fresh, chilled, and frozen sect and mutton than we exported, and nore beef of all descriptions was im-orted in 1914, than was exported. In his limited respect we have joined the freat majority. Practically the whole of the world's export trade in meat is naintained by nine countries—Argen-ina, Australia, Canada, Denmark, Mexo, under normal conditions, New Zenland, the United States and Uruguay.

### JUDGE QUINN SETTLES ANCIENT LAND TANGLE

Judge Clem Quinn, of the fourth cir-cuit court at Hilo, gave a decision inst week whereby the deed to several acres of good cane land at Twelve Mile, Olas. is awarded to Kahuakainui Umulwi.
The case had been pending many
months, Umulwi brought suit againat
John Umulwi and Charles E, King for specific performance of duty. John Umuiwi had deeded eleven acres to King, despite an agreement whereby half of the acreage was to go to Kahan-kainui. Judge Quian ordered that the agreement be fulfilled.

#### EWA WILL HARVEST 31,000 TONS OF CANE

Because the new varieties have turn ed out just as good as Lahaida cane hains disease" began to get work, and because 1916 weather conditions have been ideal for the ripening crop, Ewa Plantation Company will harvest a good 2000 tens more than the January and May estimates. The revised estimate calls for 31,000

The French wine barvest of 1915 amounted to 18,100,790 kectoliters, compared with 56,134,159 hectoliters in

tons.